

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A tape supplier and a refill cartridge for a binding apparatus are disclosed, which can prevent a supply error of a tape from occurring and facilitate supply of the tape.

5 Also, an outer surface of the tape is not contaminated by an additive when the tape is supplied. A tape cassette 156 constituting the tape supplier includes a first rotational shaft 91 rotatably supporting a tape roll 140, a second rotational shaft 92 designed to collect a sheet 127a of

10 the tape roll by winding the same in a roll type, a third rotational shaft 93 designed to collect a sheet 127b by winding the same in a roll type, and a tape ejection roller assembly 95 outwardly ejecting a tape provided between the two sheets. A refill cartridge 120 is designed

15 such that the tape roll 140 having tapes 132a, 132b,... inserted between the sheets is fixed to a first fork pipe 121 having a through hole at the center, outer ends of the sheets are respectively fixed to a second fork pipe 122 and a third fork pipe 123 each having a through hole at

20 the center, and the first to third fork pipes are supported inside an external box 130. Particularly, the refill cartridge 120 is built in the tape cassette 156 so that the first, second and third fork pipes are respectively fixed to the first, second and third

25 rotational shafts 91, 92 and 93 through the through holes.